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1. Amendment in Reply to Office Action mailed October 17, 2003 (including copy of PTO 1449) (18 pages);
2. Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time (1 page);
3. Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 (2 pages);
4. Change in Inventorship Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b) (1 page);
5. Two checks (\$420: Two-Month Extension of Time and \$130: Petition fee); and
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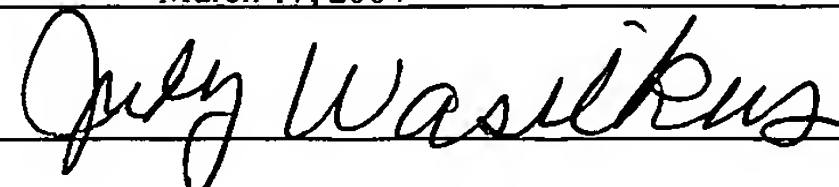

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